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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Kliger *et al.*

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It is respectfully requested that each of the patents and publications listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, and other information contained herein, be made of record in this application.

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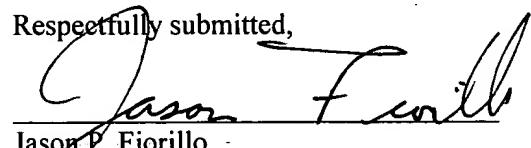
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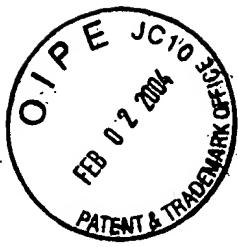
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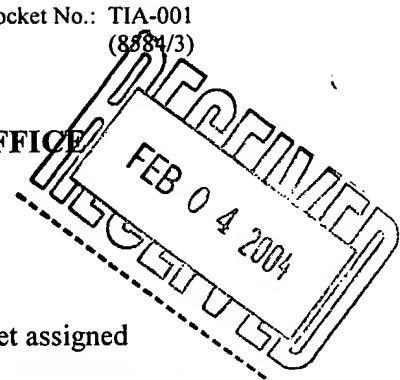
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Submitted herewith are:

- 1.) Transmittal Form (1 pg.);
- 2.) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.)
- 3.) Form PTO-1449 (1 pg.);
- 4.) Copies of documents cited as A3, B2-B4 and C1; and
- 5.) Return Receipt Postcard.


  
**TRANSMITTAL  
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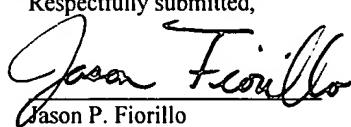
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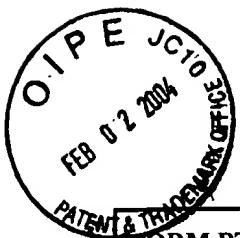
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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	B2	0 385 695	05/09/90	EP					Y
	B3	0 622 926 A2	02/11/94	EP					Y
	B4	WO 02/19623 A2	03/07/02	WO					Y

## OTHER ART, JOURNAL ARTICLES, ETC.

EXAM. INIT.	OTHER DOCUMENTS: (Including Author, Title, Date, Relevant Pages, Place of Publication)	
	C1	International Search Report for International Application No. PCT/US03/27253 dated December 30, 2003 (5 pgs.)

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